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SUBJECT

Transference of the entire control of the water supply distribution to the Bangalore city municipal council

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To the municipal comm, Bangalore city

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Stating that the proposal of the municipality can not be considered for some years to come

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19	From The Municipal Commissioner, Bangalore City Municipality No E J 1515 dated 29.11.30 Solicits orders of Government On the Copy of the M.C.C's Resolution dated the 25th October 1930 forwarded with a Copy of his memo at the instance of Mr Belur Srinivasiengar in the matter of transferring the entire Control of the E-portion of the Water Supply system to the Bangalore City M.C.C.
	1) Chief Engineer may perhaps be consulted un-officially in the matter Submd for orders Sub 6.12.30 DS Law Secy 6 12 30
	2) Yes. P.M. 9/12
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4) Returned, with compliments, to the General Secretary to Government

2 5) The city of Bangalore has grown to enormous proportions both in extent and population. The distribution system is altogether out of date It has to be redesigned according to present and future needs A mere transfer of the control under the present circumstances, far from giving satisfaction to the rate payers, will bring about more confusion and dissatisfaction

6) The plans and estimates are being prepared for remodelling the distribution system and that work has to be carried out with the existing system in service If the present distribution is transferred to the Municipality they will not be able to carry out the works connected with the remodelled distribution It has necessarily to be done by the Public Works Department

7) If the old distribution is to be in the hands of the Municipality and the new one in the hands of the P W Department, there will be dual agency and the work cannot get on smoothly, because the existing pipes will have to be replaced in many places and the new pipes linked with the old ones The proposal of the Municipality cannot therefore be considered for some years to come

8) If the Municipality can undertake to collect the excess water charges, I would have no objection to transfer the collection work to them But, here too, the maintenance and the reading of

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of the meters will have to remain with the Department . There is a livelihood of claims being disputed and the Municipality not being able to satisfy the house-owners In such disputed cases, there will be unnecessary correspondence .

9) It therefore seems best not to disturb the existing arrangements even in regard to collection

M Rangaiya
Chief Engineer of Mysore 9/7/31

Bangalore,
July 1931

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10) Pl Ch Engineer's Memorandum accepted

11) Ld Mr Chandra RR 16/7/31 VS

12) The Chief Engr's opinion [illegible] make comment [illegible] add[illegible] that [illegible] be [illegible] RR 20/7/31 VS

13) Advt- [illegible] Please put up a clean draft VS 25.7.31

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FROM

C MACHIA ESQ B A
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER
BANGALORE CITY

To

P MAHADEVAYYA, Esq, B A, B L,
Secretary to Government, Law Department,
Bangalore

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of the resolution of the Municipal Council dated 25-10-1930 together with a copy of my memo at the instance of Mr Belur Srinivasiengar Municipal Councillor in the matter of transferring the entire control of the City portion of the Water Supply Distribution to the Municipal Council, and to request you to be so good as to obtain orders of Government in the matter

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Machia
Municipal Commissioner

Forwarded with compliments
President

O fice of the City Municipality,
Bangalor , dated 10-9-1930

M e m o

Subject - Letter from Mr Belur Srinivasiengar,B A ,B L , Municipal Councillor, pointing out the necessity of having water supply distribution under the direct control of the Municipal Council since the entire charges of maintenance and capital cost are being paid from Municipal funds

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In Para 13 of Government Order No L 509-512/Ml 127-23-13 dated 23rd July 1925 it is ordered that they are not prepared for the present to transfer the management of water works to the Municipal Council on account of various administrative questions affecting the Civil and Military station authorities The Municipal Council while recording the Government Order at their meeting held on 5th Aug 1925 resolved that the Government be requested to contribute 1/3 of the maintenance charges of water supply since the control would vest in them and to transfer to the Municipality the control of the Distribution system of water works pertaining to the City from 1st July 1926 or from the date on which the improvements sanctioned in the said Government Order(Duplicating the Main from Hessarghatta etc) are actually effected The Government in their order No L 4317-19/Ml 96-25-14 dated 16th December 1925 passed on the above resolution have declined to pay 1/3 of cost of maintenance and nothing is said in the matter of transferring the control of the City portion of distribution system to the Municipal Council (vide flags A & B)

Since the Municipality is paying the entire cost of the maintenance of water supply to the city including the Capital charges, it is naturally felt that the control of this department should vest in the Municipality for its efficient working to the satisfaction of the rate-payers It is also hoped that the Municipal Council can expect a lot of savings in the establishment charges now incurred on the Distribution staff by requiring the subordinates of the Municipal P W D and Revenue Department to attend to the work in addition to their duties

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above reasons, Government may be approached to make over this department entirely to the Municipality

Sd C Machia,
Municipal Commissioner

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For Municipal Commissioner

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Proceedings of the Council meeting held on 25th Oct 1930

23 To consider Municipal Commissioner's memo dated 10th September 1930 in the matter of having water supply depa distribution entirely under the direct control of the Municipal Council

Resolution - Commissioner's memo is approved

Sd P Subbarama Chetty,
Honorary President

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For Municipal Commissioner

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No L 964 "04

To The Municipal Commr Bulandshahr

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 8-7 15-5 dt 29-11-30 forwarding for orders the resolution of the Municipal Board in the matter of having water supply distribution entirely under the direct control of the municipal board, I am directed to state that the chief point of inquiry which was examined in the matter relates as follows

"The city of Bulandshahr has grown to enormous proportions both in extent and population the distribution system is altogether out of date it has to be redesigned according to present and future

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Signed by Mr V.S. Sastri

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needs. A mere inspection of the control under the present circumstances, far from giving satisfaction to the rate payers, will only about more confusion and dissatisfaction

The plans and estimate are being prepared for remodelling the distribution system and that work has to be carried out with the existing system in service If the present distribution is hampered the supply, they will not be able to carry out the works connected with the remodelled distribution It has necessarily to be done by the P W D

If the old distribution is to be in the hands the supply and the new one the P W D, there will be dual agency and the work cannot get on smoothly, because the existing pipes will have to be replaced in many places and the new pipes linked with the

± The proposal of the municipality cannot therefore be considered for some years to come"

Govt agree with the views expressed above

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1st August 1931
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The Municipal Commissioner
Bangalore City
THROUGH the President City Municipal Council
Bangalore

With reference to your letter No G T 155 dated 29th November 1930 forwarding for orders the resolution of the Municipal Council in the matter of having water supply distribution entirely under the direct control of the Municipal Council I am directed to state that the Chief Engineer of Mysore who was consulted in the matter states as follows -

The City of Bangalore has grown to enormous proportions both in extent and population The distribution system is altogether out of date It has to be redesigned according to present and future needs A mere transference of the control under the present circumstances far from giving satisfaction to the rate payers will bring about more confusion and dissatisfaction

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Government agree with the views cited above

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

V Subrahmanyasastri

For General Secretary to Government

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